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For: METHOD FOR STORING INFORMATION
WHILE RECORDING MEDIA IS
FORMATTED IN PARALLEL

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated June 12, 2008, finally rejecting claims 1-24, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 4 of this paper, and an **Appendix** including Replacement Sheets is attached following page 6 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.